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In re the Application of

Kiyoichi SUWA

Group Art Unit: 2818

Application No.: 09/729,339

Examiner: Q. Hoang

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For: MASK, EXPOSURE METHOD, LINE WIDTH MEASURING METHOD, AND METHOD  
FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
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